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mandy picks a husband for 3 shows only at LITTLE FISH THEATRE
- written and performed by **Amanda Broomell**

a hilarious 60-minute rollercoaster ride through one woman's journey to falling in love... with herself

LOS ANGELES, January 2023. After touring the US and the UK, Amanda Broomell's raw and witty tale, "**mandy picks a husband**" comes to Little Fish Theatre.

Nearing 40 and living alone with her 13-year-old cat, Amanda—seasoned New York theatre actress and LA-based performer and standup comic—**launched an Instagram experiment @mandypicksahusband** in the style of ABC's cult-hit reality dating show *The Bachelorette* – featuring tell-all videos about her adventures in online dating, a hellishly daunting process. Inspired by her followers, she **channeled her experiences into a solo show** weaving imagined musical numbers from the 80s and 90s.

Spinning from boyfriend to boyfriend, from Bumble date to OKCupid catastrophe, Mandy humorously exposes the challenges one faces in **cultivating intimacy and trust** with a partner while facing the obstacle of **healing from past trauma**. How many psychics, life coaches, and Bumble dates will it take to find THE ONE? You're going to want to *swipe right* and attend this solo show that perfectly balances laughter and song with a heart of raw emotion!

Amanda trained at New York University's acclaimed Tisch School of the Arts and at Columbia University's Classical MFA Acting Program. She won a StageSceneLA Award for "Star-Making Performance" for her role as Cherie in William Inge's *Bus Stop* at Little Fish Theatre.

WINNER: 2019 Hollywood Fringe Festival Encore Producers' Award

NOMINEE: 2019 Soaring Solo Artist Award, Hollywood Fringe Festival (1 in 5 of 100+ solo shows)

Plus, appearances at Edinburgh Fringe Festival, NYC's United Solo Theatre Festival, and London's Café Canal Theatre.

"Jaw-dropping, belly-laughing, thoroughly moving, polished and heartfelt"~*Better Lemons*
"deeply moving ... cleverly structured ... and hilarious tale, with a heart of raw emotion."
~RECOMMENDED: *FringeReview, Edinburgh*

LIMITED ENGAGEMENT – 3 Shows Only -

WHERE: Little Fish Theatre, 777 Centre St. San Pedro, CA 90731

WHEN: February 17 & 18 @ 8pm, Sunday Feb 19 @ 2pm

PURCHASE TICKETS: [LFT BOX OFFICE](#) or text Box Office at 424-203-4707

\$30 Regular, \$28 Senior, \$20 Student

Content Alert: some adult language dealing with past trauma and abuse.

Founded in 2002, Little Fish Theatre presents new, classic, and contemporary plays in an intimate setting in the San Pedro/LA Waterfront Arts District in downtown San Pedro. Producing 8-10 plays each year in a one-room 65-seat venue, Little Fish delivers the quintessential close-up theatrical experience, where audience and performers share space and sight lines, making for eruptive laughter, highly-charged action and palpable emotion. LFT is an AEA Membership Company Theater.

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